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SUBJECT: NARCOTICS CONTROL: M-60 MACHINE GUNS

REFERENCE: RANGOON 2630 (NOTAL) AND PREVIOUS

1. DUE TO OTHER CARGO COMMITMENTS SATURN AIRWAYS WILL BE UNABLE TO TRANSPORT MACHINE GUNS BY THE SAME AIRCRAFT WHICH DELIVERS THE NEXT TWO HELICOPTERS.

2. AS AN ALTERNATIVE WE SUGGEST FLYING THE WEAPONS TO UTAPAO BY DAO SUPPORT FLIGHT BETWEEN RANGOON AND BANGKOK. THEY COULD THEN BE TURNED OVER TO MILITARY AIRLIFT COMMAND FOR SPACE AVAILABLE RETURN TO NAVAL AIR SYSTEMS COMMAND THROUGH THE SHIPPING AND RECEIVING OFFICER, TWELFTH NAVAL DISTRICT, SAN FRANCISCO. PLEASE ADVISE IF
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THIS IS PRACTICAL.

3. FYI: WE HAVE ASCERTAINED THAT THE MACHINE GUNS WERE
INADVERTANTLY PROCURED BY THE USE OF INCORRECT STOCK
NUMBERS. THE NUMBERS USED CALLED FOR A COMPLETE ASSEMBLY
OF MOUNT AND TWO GUNS INSTEAD OF JUST THE MOUNT. END FYI.
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